

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Local forecast for Pensacola and vicinity: Two tonight Tuesday fair; Fresh north to south; Maximum temperature yesterday, 74; minimum in last 24 hours, 59.

The minister of Alaska who uses the "phone" in the lightning is Tashing sever, and the thunder is rattling about every corner.

And makes us just tremble with fear, and these days he'll surely get hooked.

H. A. A. From the "phone," the little tip right on his cap, and the food-killer has garnered his own.

—Jon Lots.

P. B. Hargrove of Nashville is again a guest of the Escambia.

Mr. C. C. Palmer of Norfolk, Va., is a late arrival at the Escambia.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Skinner of Kirtland, Ind., are guests of the Escambia.

Mr. E. E. Marks of the New Orleans Daily States is stopping at the Merchants.

H. E. McArthur, a well known naval stores operator of Seaside, is at the Escambia.

The busiest men in Escambia county this week are the candidates for county officers.

Mrs. Burt and Miss Crum of Montgomery are guests of Mrs. M. McGraw this week.

M. Jacoby, E. S. Blake and J. C. McKinnon of Marianna are registered at the Merchants.

Mr. W. H. Pettus of Stanford, Ky., and F. A. Guild of Atlanta, are among the Escambia's guests.

Mrs. F. F. Jordan and Mrs. Wm. B. Thorne of Washington, D. C., arrived at the Escambia yesterday.

The carnival committee will meet at the office of Chairman A. H. D'Alemberte at 7:30 o'clock to-night.

If you wish to vote at the primaries April 10 you had best pay your poll tax for 1898 and 1899 this week.

Father McCafferty will lease the east of the opera house for a term of years. See notice in cent a word column.

A. Sligh and S. A. Cook of Chipley and E. Howes of Milton are among the Floridians registered at the Lewis house.

E. E. Saunders & Co.'s snacks Marie Hoxie, Favorite and Weisket arrived in part this morning with 500 snappers.

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DONNED BULLER'S PAJAMAS.

London Society Woman Creates a Sensation at Cape Town.

LONDON, March 24.—If anything is interesting society more than the constant departure of fashionable women for Cape Town it is the scandals that come back about those already out there. The latest is that of a woman prominent in society and the wife of a well known baronet. She went out, in General Buller's pajamas, but becoming the worse for liquor she was shut up by that commander in the room of the local station master. Discovering his pajamas and a short coat, he donned them. She afterward refused to make a change and thus scantily clad she was carried through the lines of General Buller's troops in an ambulance, was shipped to Cape Town and is now in Laganad.

A Musicale.

The senior grade of school No. 1 will give a musicale for the benefit of the public school library on Thursday evening, March 29, at Clutter's music hall. Tickets are on sale at Coe's book store and at Clutter's music store. Price 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

Program will be published later.

Attention, Escambia Rifles, Co. I, 1st Reg., F. S. T.

In compliance with special order No. 4, 3rd Bat., 1st Reg., F. S. T., a meeting will be held at the armory hall, Tuesday, March 27th, 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a captain, 1st and 2nd lieutenants. MART GRIFFIN, 1st Lieut., 1st Reg., F. S. T., Comd'g. Co. I.

We may live without love, we may live without books.

—Owen Meredith.

And our cooks cannot cook without the materials necessary to constitute meals. Those materials, in order to produce good, wholesome food, must be of the best quality. To procure them of the desired quality we must go to the right place for them. The right place, as every one familiar with the subject will tell you, is Jacoby's!

What he hasn't got in the way of first-class, high-grade materials for good, wholesome, delicious food—"fit for the gods" themselves—you might put in a wheelbarrow. What he has got can scarcely be learned without visiting that wonderful place, where he keeps enough of everything good to eat to victual a warship or supply an army, and inspecting the enormous variety of household supplies of every imaginable description, displayed so that every purchaser can select at will, and all of the choicest and best to be found in any market.

This is no flight of fancy, but the plain, unvarnished truth. If you doubt it, go to 114 to 120 East Government street and be convinced.

We have moved to 11 S. Palafax street. We would like for you to call. We will sell you instruments on terms. We will exchange pianos with you. We will save you money on a piano or organ.

Jesse French Piano & Organ Co.

11 S. Palafax Street.

Call for State Convention.

The democratic party of the state of Florida will hold a state convention at Jacksonville on Tuesday, June 19, at 12 noon, for the following purposes:

To choose delegates to represent the state in the national democratic convention, to be held at Kansas City, Mo., July 4, 1900; to nominate candidates for the offices of Governor, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, a Secretary of State, Attorney-General, Comptroller, Treasurer, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of Agriculture, a Railroad Commissioner for the term of four years, four Presidential Electors and four alternates, to be voted for at the next regular state election, and to transact such other business as may come before the convention.

The different counties in the state will send delegates to the convention upon the following basis of representation: One delegate for each one hundred votes cast for the candidate on the state ticket who received the highest number of votes at the general election of 1898, and one additional vote for the function in excess thereof, when it amounts to fifty or more. The committee has also allowed additional representation where the vote was increased at the election of 1898 in any county for state officers. The counties under this rule will be entitled to representation as follows:

Alachua	14	Leon	14
Bradford	6	Levy	14
Baker	2	Liberty	2
Brevard	2	Madison	2
Calhoun	2	Marion	2
Citrus	2	Monte	2
Day	2	Nassau	2
Columbia	4	Orange	4
Dade	4	Osceola	4
DeSoto	2	Pasco	2
Duval	22	Polk	2
Escambia	22	St. Johns	2
Franklin	2	St. Louis	2
Gadsden	2	Sumter	2
Hamilton	2	Suwannee	2
Hillsboro	2	Taylor	2
Holmes	2	Volusia	2
Jackson	2	Walton	2
Jefferson	2	Washington	2
Lafayette	2		
Lee	2		

The counties will select their delegates in any manner which may be considered best in a people acting through the party organization as recognized by the last state convention. All democrats are invited to participate in the selection of delegates.

Persons including those who have become qualified to vote since the last election.

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Apparel. A generous assortment, large variety

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We carry all kinds; the largest assortment in the

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Shirt Waist Window, and they are cheaper than

heretofore by reason of our Motto: "SELL CHEAP AND

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New Arrivals! LACES AND EMBROIDERIES! New Arrivals!

Our Centre Tables are groaning beneath a goodly share of the Newest

Things in Laces and Embroideries.

Edging and Insertion, Hamburg Edging and Insertion

Valencia Lace and Insertions.

Machine Torchon Edging and Insertion.

German Torchon Edging, Applique Lace and Insertion.

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500 Remnants Hamburg Edging, six yard lengths, worth 75c, to go at 50c.

* Sweeping Sale of Muslin Underwear! *

One Lot Child's Drawers, hemmed and tucked, sizes 1 and 2, at 10c pair

Sizes 3, 4, 5 and 6, only 15c pair

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One Lot Misses' Trimmed Gowns at Cost Mark.

One Lot Ladies' Trimmed Chemise, worth 35c for 20c each

One Lot Ladies' Trimmed Cambric Chemise, worth 75c for 45c each

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